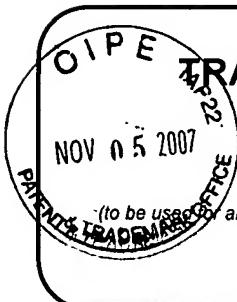


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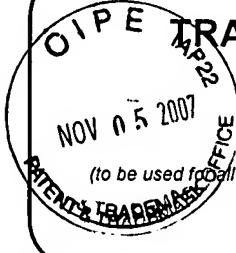
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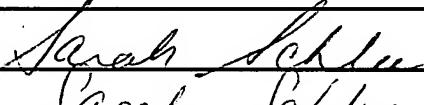
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This is to request a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. §§1.322 and 1.323 in the above-identified patent.

Patentees have enclosed a Certificate of Correction (Form PTO-1050, in duplicate) listing printing errors in the patent. None of the requested corrections constitutes new matter or requires reexamination.

All of the errors listed except for the errors in Section 56 "Schweizer"; Column 9, line 15; Column 1, line 58; and Column 16, line 3 are believed to be the responsibility of the patentee.

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In section 56, U.S. Patent Documents:

In 3,095,723 "McKinght" should be changed to --McKnight--

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In section Specifications:

Column 1, line 2, insert --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--centered, all caps

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